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Per your telephone request of today's date, attached please find the National Phase filing dated January 14, 2002 in the above-identified matter. The IDS references are not included in this fax. Please let us know if you need those as well.

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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

1163-0386P

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

NEW

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE

PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED

PCT/JP00/03785

June 9, 2000

NONE

TITLE OF INVENTION

NAVIGATION DEVICE

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

UTSUMI, Koichiro; YAMADA, Mitsuru

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- ☒ This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39 (1).
- ☐ The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).
- ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
- a. ☐ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
- b. ☒ has been transmitted by the International Bureau. (WO 01/94887)
- c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- ☒ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
- a. ☒ is transmitted herewith.
- b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4)
- ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- a. ☐ are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
- b. ☐ have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
- c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
- d. ☒ have not been made and will not be made.
- ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- ☐ An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 20. below concern document(s) or information included:

1. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, Form PTO-1449(s), and International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210) with 7 cited document(s).
2. ☒ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
3. ☒ A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
4. ☐ A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment.
5. ☐ A substitute specification.
6. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
7. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825.
8. ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
9. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
10. ☒ Other items or information:
- 1.) Four (4) Sheets of Formal Drawings
- 2.) PCT/IB/308

APPLICATION NO. if known, see 37 CFR 1.51 <div style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">NEW</div>		INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <div style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">PCT/JP00/03785</div>		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER <div style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">1163-0386P</div>	
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☒ The following fees are submitted:
BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5):
 either international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482)
 or international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.				\$	0.00
SUBTOTAL =				\$	890.00
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TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =				\$	890.00
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +				\$	40.00
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =				\$	930.00

☒ A check in the amount of \$ 930.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.
☐ Please charge my Deposit Account. No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the above fees.
 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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